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## REMARKS

This case has been reviewed in light of the Examiner phone call dated 10 February 2003, wherein the structure claims were elected with traverse in response to a requirement for restriction, and wherein the Examiner noted an incorrect dependency of claims 37, 40, 41, and 44 to method claim 33 instead of structure claim 34. Applicants thank the Examiner for pointing out this error and are faxing an amendment per the Examiner's request.

Respectfully submitted,

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## Version with markings to show changes made

Title (amended): MACHINE STATOR [AND FABRICATION METHOD]

Claim 37 (amended). The stator of claim [33] 34 wherein the stator teeth are laminated stator teeth, composite stator teeth, or combinations thereof.

Claim 40 (amended). The stator of claim [33] <u>34</u> wherein the stator yoke is or a composite stator yoke.

Claim 41 (amended). The stator of claim [33] 34 wherein the stator yoke is a laminated stator yoke.

Claim 44 (amended). The stator of claim [33] 34 wherein the stator teeth comprise material having a radially oriented grain, and wherein the stator yoke comprises material having an azimuthally oriented grain.